



Executive Department
State of Idaho

The Office of the Governor
Proclamation

State Capitol
Boise

WHEREAS, beer and brewing have been a part of American life and culture from the moment settlers first set foot on this country's soil; and

WHEREAS, the founding fathers embraced brewing as a worthy and noble profession; and

WHEREAS, studies by medical and health organizations have concluded that beer consumed in moderation has direct, positive benefits for the citizens of the United States and the State of Idaho; and

WHEREAS, breweries, and the beer industry, provide Idaho with extensive employment opportunities in a well established and honored profession; and

WHEREAS, brewery and beer industry workers, graciously support Idaho charities, both independently and through the Mountain Brewers Beer Fest;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, DIRK KEMPTHORNE, Governor of the State of Idaho, do hereby proclaim June 8, 2002 to be

BREWERS AND BEER INDUSTRY DAY

in Idaho, and I encourage all brewers, brewery representatives, beer distributors and retailers to help educate and celebrate the values they support in the legal, moderate, social, and cultural consumption of beer.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Idaho at the Capitol in Boise on this sixth day of March in the year of our Lord two-thousand and two and of the Independence of the United States of America the two hundred twenty-sixth and of the Statehood of Idaho the one hundred twelfth.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Dirk Kempthorne".

DIRK KEMPTHORNE
GOVERNOR

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Pete T. Cenarrusa".

PETE T. CENARRUSA
SECRETARY OF STATE